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## **DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

## Accreditation and Approval of Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA) as a Commercial Gauger and Laboratory

**AGENCY:** U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security.

**ACTION:** Notice of accreditation and approval of Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA), as a commercial gauger and laboratory.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given, pursuant to CBP regulations, that Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA), has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes for the next three years as of August 2, 2018.

**DATES:** Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA) was approved and accredited as a commercial gauger and laboratory as of August 2, 2018. The next triennial inspection date will be scheduled for August 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Eugene Bondoc, Laboratories and Scientific Services, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 1500N, Washington, DC 20229, tel. 202-344-3974.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Notice is hereby given pursuant to 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13, that Intertek USA, Inc., 230 Crescent Ave., Chelsea, MA 02150, has been approved to gauge petroleum and certain petroleum products and accredited to test petroleum and certain petroleum products for customs purposes, in accordance with the provisions of 19 CFR 151.12 and 19 CFR 151.13.

Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA) is approved for the following gauging procedures for petroleum and certain petroleum products from the American Petroleum Institute (API):

API Chapters	Title
3	Tank Gauging
7	Temperature Determination
8	Sampling
12	Calculations
17	Marine Measurement

Intertek USA, Inc. (Chelsea, MA) is accredited for the following laboratory analysis procedures and methods for petroleum and certain petroleum products set forth by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Laboratory Methods (CBPL) and American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM):

CBPL No.	ASTM	Title
27-04	D 95	Standard Test Method for Water in Petroleum Products and
		Bituminous Materials by Distillation
27-08	D 86	Standard Test Method for Distillation of Petroleum Products
		at Atmospheric Pressure
27-11	D 445	Standard Test Method for Kinematic Viscosity of Transparent
		and Opaque Liquids (and Calculation of Dynamic Viscosity)
27-13	D 4294	Standard Test Method for Sulfur in Petroleum and Petroleum
		Products by Energy-Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence
		Spectrometry
27-48	D 4052	Standard Test Method for Density and Relative Density of
		Liquids by Digital Density Meter
27-50	D 93	Standard Test Methods for Flash-Point by Pensky-Martens
		Closed Cup Tester
27-54	D 1796	Standard Test Method for Water and Sediment in Fuel Oils by
		the Centrifuge Method
27-57	D 7039	Standard Test Method for Sulfur in Gasoline and Diesel Fuel
		by Monochromatic Wavelength Dispersive X-Ray
		Fluorescence Spectrometry
27-58	D 5191	Standard Test Method for Vapor Pressure of Petroleum
		Products (Mini Method)
N/A	D 1319	Standard Test Method for Hydrocarbon Types in Liquid
		Petroleum Products by Fluorescent Indicator Adsorption
N/A	D 3606	Standard Test Method for Determination of Benzene and
		Toluene in Finished Motor and Aviation Gasoline by Gas
		Chromatography

Anyone wishing to employ this entity to conduct laboratory analyses and gauger services

should request and receive written assurances from the entity that it is accredited or

approved by the U.S. Customs and Border Protection to conduct the specific test or

gauger service requested. Alternatively, inquiries regarding the specific test or gauger

service this entity is accredited or approved to perform may be directed to the U.S.

Customs and Border Protection by calling (202) 344-1060. The inquiry may also be sent

to CBPGaugersLabs@cbp.dhs.gov. Please reference the website listed below for a

complete listing of CBP approved gaugers and accredited laboratories.

http://www.cbp.gov/about/labs-scientific/commercial-gaugers-and-laboratories

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